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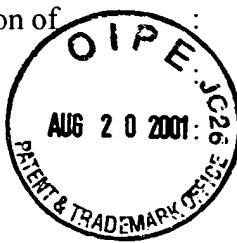
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In re Application of : Alan R. Hirsch  
Serial No. : 09/707,655  
Filing Date : November 7, 2000  
For : USE OF ODORANTS TO ALTER VAGINAL  
BLOOD FLOW AND ARTICLE OF  
MANUFACTURE THEREFOR

Group Art Unit : 1651  
Examiner : C. Tate



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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT  
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

**Restriction Requirement**

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 17, 2001 (Paper No. 3), in the above-identified patent application.

In response to the Examiner's requirement for an election of species of an odorant, Applicant elects an odorant that is a mixture of a licorice-based odorant and a cucumber odorant.